IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Katsumi OKOUCHI

Art Unit: 3724

Serial No.: 09/835,495

Examiner: Boyer D. Ashley

Filed: April 17, 2001

For: LIGHTED CUTTING TOOLS

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136

Honorable Director of Patents and Trademarks Washington, DC 20231

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Sir:

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Petition is herein made under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136 for an extension of time for ONE (1) month for response to the Restriction Requirement mailed September 17, 2002. The appropriate fee set forth in 37 C.F.R. 1.17 is enclosed herewith.

Please charge the necessary fee for this extension to the credit card identified on the credit card authorization form submitted herewith. If for any reason charges to this credit card are denied, the Director is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 04-0753.

> Respectfully submitted, DENNISON, SCHULTZ & DOUGHERTY

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